

SHIPPING.	
ARRIVALS.	
Dec. 18, DEUCALION, British str., 1374, B. Branch, Sandakan 12th December, Timber and General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.	
Dec. 19, MYZALDON, British str., 1816, W. Gardner, Singapore 13th Dec., General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.	
Dec. 19, HALKUN, British str., 636, Bathurst, Tanjong Pagar 19th Dec., 17th and 18th Dec., General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.	

Swatow 18th, General.—DOUGLAS LAR-
BAIE & Co.
Dec. 19, CHINA Pine, Chinese steamer, 1,049
Blake, Shanghai 15th December, General.
CARLOWITZ & Co.
Dec. 19, H.Y.S. IMMORTALITE, 5,600, Capt.
E. Gluchstein, Nagasaki 14th December.
Dec. 19, PHA C C. KLAU, British str., 1,012,
B. Piget, Bangkok, 9th December, and
Swatow 18th, Rice and General.—YUEN
FAT HONG.

Holz, Moji 12th December, Coals.—
WHEELER & Co.
Dec. 19, BENJAMIN, British str., 1756, C. K.
Melatoda, B.N.R., Singapore 11th Dec.
General.—GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Dec. 19, IRENE, German or, from a cruise.
Dec. 19, CHWENSHAN, British str., 1284, Mur-
phy, Singapore 12th December, General.—
CHINESE.
Dec. 19, M. BACQUEHEIM, Austrian str., 2744,
Constanza, Trieste and Singapore 12th Dec.

Dec. 19, STRATHALLAN, British str., 1,488. T. C. Macdonough, Hongay 17th Dec., Coals.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Dec. 19, YUNGCHING, Chinese str., 760, Symon, Shanghai 16th Dec., General.—C. M. S. N. Co.

Dec. 20, KALGAN, British str., 1,168. T. H. Clegg, Canton 20th Dec., General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Dec. 20, KIANGPAI, Chinese str., 840, E. Brindanger, Hankow 10th Dec., Shanghai 14th,

Dec. 20, LOONGMOON, German str., 1,245, F.
Schultz, Canton 20th Dec., General-
SIESSSEN & Co.

Dec. 20, PACTON, British str., 881, Bradley,
Ningpo 17th Dec., General-JARDINE,
MATHEON & Co.

Dec. 20, SZCHOW, British str., 1,158, Dorby,
Tientsin 15th Dec., and Chafco 17th, General-
BUTTERFIELD & SWIZE.

Dec. 20, WOOSUNG, British str., 1,109, Lloyd
Jones, Siam-guai 17th Dec., General-

CLEARANCES.
AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.
19TH DECEMBER.
Aradoun Apar, British str., for Singapore.
Sulberg, German str., for Haiphong.
Hailon, British str., for Hoihow.
Hyalopes, British str., for Singapore.
City of Rio-de-Janeiro, Amr. str., for Shanghai.
Triumph, German str., for Hoihow.
Haoa, French str., for Haiphong.

Telataro, German str., for Saigon.
Thaloe, British str., for Swatow.
Germania, German str., for Amoy.
Nanyang, German str., for Shanghai.
Hiroshima Maru, Jap. str., for Singapore.

DEPARTURES.
 Dec. 19, *PAKSHAN*, British str., for Singapore.
 Dec. 19, *A. APCAR*, British str., for Calcutta.
 Dec. 19, *CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO*, Amr. str.,
 for San Francisco.

Dec. 10. HANCO, French str., for Haiphong.
Dec. 11. HAILAN, British str., for Hiohoo.
Dec. 19. HIROSHIMA MARU, Japanese str., for
Bombay.
Dec. 19. IZUMI MARU, Jap. str., for Koba.
Dec. 19. NANYANG, German str., for Shanghai.
Dec. 19. SUNGLANG, British str., for Manila.
Dec. 20. FOOKSANG, British str., for Shanghai.
Dec. 20. SVLBERG, German str., for Haiphong.
Dec. 20. TETAROS, German str., for Saigon.
Dec. 20. THALES, British str., for Swatow.

PASSENGERS.
ARRIVED.
Per *Hainan*, str. from Tamsui, &c.—Messrs.
Boyd, Breton, and Moir Walker.
Per *Dunedin*, str. from Sandakan.—Rev.
W. H. Elton.
Per *Bedoume*, str. from London, &c.—Mr.
and Mrs. Brindley.
Per *Woojing*, str. from Shanghai—Capt.
Arthur, Messrs. Adamson, Litton, and Cornish.

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 Kowloon Docks.—Din, Lekin, Datto,
 H.I.G.M.S. Kaiser, Lung Tsing, Phra Nang,
 Ingraham
 Consolopolitan Dock.—John Baisley, Pres-
 per.

TO-DAY.
Register of Shares, Panam. Gold Mining
Co. closed to 31st instant, inclusive.
Meeting of Subscribers to St. George's Hall,
City Hall, 3 p.m.
Charley's Aunt, Theatre Royal, 9 p.m.
Elite Skating Rink, Duddell Street.

TO-MORROW
Transfer Books of the Hongkong High-Level
Tramways Co. closed to 31st inst, inclusive.

M. Armstrong, 230 p.m.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer *Woolong* from Shanghai 17th Dec., had bright air weather throughout. The British steamer *Peckin*, from Ningpo 17th Dec., had N.E. monsoon and fine weather throughout.

The Chinese steamer *Yungking*, from Shanghai 16th Dec., had moderate N.E. winds and cloudy weather throughout.

The British steamer *Deception*, from Sandakan (B.N. Borneo) 12th Dec., had fresh to moderate N.E. winds and fine weather throughout.

The British steamer *Swallow*, from Hongkong 15th Dec., and *Chiefo* 17th, had light variable winds and dull gloomy weather from port to port.

The British steamer *Myrmidon*, from Liverpool and Singapore 15th Dec., had strong monsoon from Hongkong to Cape Paduan; thence to port fine weather.

The Chinese steamer *Kiangpang*, from Hankow 16th Dec., Shanghai 14th, and Swatow 15th, experienced moderate winds and fine weather throughout.

The British steamer *Phra C. O. Rao*, from Bangkok 9th Dec., and Swatow 18th, had clear N.E. winds, dull cloudy weather, high N.E. sea to Swatow. From Swatow to port moderate southerly winds and dull cloudy weather, light southerly breeze, barometer falling. In Amoy—*Sts. Hong Kong, Radley, Stahan, Chiefo*, 2 Chinese cruisers, and several sailing vessels. In Swatow—*Sts. Nansu, Kiangpang, Himeany*, and *Poonah*.

EXPORT CARGOES.
The British ship *Clan Macgillivray*, sailed on the 20th December for San Francisco. 3170 bags rice, 3572 bags tapioca, 880 packages rice, 370 cases rice flour, 200 cases oil, 2400 empty quicklime bags, 1600 cases casia, 1600 cases sugar, 374 packages shells and rattan chairs, 530 bags coffee, 912 roll matting, 181 bales gunnies, 137 bags beans, 3000 bales hemp and 11,634 packages merchandise.

The steamer *Myrmidon*, sailed on the 20th December for London—5418 boxes tea (113,778 lbs.), 84 cases essential oil, 30 cases cigars, 15 cases chinaware, 1175 cases preserves, 774 cases preserves, 453 rolls matting, 1600 cases casia, 1600 cases sugar, 374 packages shells and 17 bales sundries. For London and/or Manchester—5 cases cigars, 1000 bales casia, 5 cases casia, 5 cases casia. For Liverpool—8 packages sundries. For Glasgow—50 cases ginger and 1 package sundries.

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AFTERNOON SESSIONS from 3 to 7.
Evening Sessions from 8.30 to 12.
Skates and Admission, 6d. Admission, 5d. only.
On THURSDAY, the 24th December, a WEIGHT LIFTING CONTEST will take place for a SILVER CUP.

open to all comers.
On BOXING NIGHT a MASQUERADE BALL, dancing to commence at 10 P.M.
A one mile Bicycle race will take place shortly. The Band of the West Yorks will be in attendance nightly.

SAM MARKS,
Proprietor.
Hongkong, 21st December, 1896. [2874]

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AUCTIONS.

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